

LOCAL NEWS.

Tasley Fair, August 4, 5, 6, 7.
Keller fair opens August 25th and continues four days.

Miss Hallie English, of Washington, D. C., is spending the summer with her parents at Locustville.

Messrs. Thos. T. Upshur and William I. James, of Northampton, were among the visitors to the county seat this week.

Children's day will be observed at Drummondtown M. E. Church, Sunday night, June 21st. Exercises will begin promptly at 8 o'clock.

Ask your dealer for Kenwood Club cigars. If your dealer doesn't keep them in stock insist that he write to F. A. Davis & Sons, Baltimore, and get some.

Rev. J. A. Beasly, of Bethel Hill, N. C., will fill the appointments of Rev. E. Y. Pool on Sunday, June 21st, preaching at Bethel 11 a. m.; at Hallwood 3 p. m.

There will be services at Grant Memorial M. P. Church, Sunday afternoon, June 21st, 2:45 o'clock, and Children's day services at night, beginning at 7:45.

Reports of the condition of the Parkside National Bank, and of the Banking Company of L. L. Dirickson, Jr., Chincoteague, at the close of business, June 19th, 1903, appear in another column.

The members of the New Church division of the Produce Exchange will meet at New Church on Saturday, June 20th, 3 p. m. All members and those who wish to join are requested to be present.

Mrs. John L. Ward has issued invitations to the marriage of her daughter, Miss Minnie Lee Ward, to Mr. John William Kerzie Holland, Thursday morning, June 25th, 10:30 o'clock at Baptist Church, Onancock.

The Parkside division of the Produce Exchange will meet at Parkside, Saturday, June 27th, 2:30 p. m., to consider the "barrel question." A full attendance of the members is requested by the general director of that division.

Rev. W. H. Savage will preach at Chincoteague Baptist Church next Sunday 11 a. m.; at Horntown Baptist Church 3 p. m. The pastor, Rev. Walter Rhodes, is still very feeble and is at Atlantic City, hoping to be benefited.

A lawn party will be held on the grounds of the Broadway Baptist Church on Sunday afternoon and night, June 20th, commencing at 8:30 o'clock. Ice cream and confectonaries will be for sale. Public cordially invited.

Mr. N. P. Wescott, son of Hon. N. B. Wescott, received the degree of A. M. at the closing exercises of Randolph-Macon College on the 11th inst. The degree of A. B. was conferred on same day upon Mr. G. W. H. Taylor, also of this county.

An advertisement of Hotel Jones, Chincoteague, appears in another column. As will be noted, the hotel has been recently fitted up and first class service may be expected. We bespeak for the courteous and popular proprietors a liberal share of the public patronage.

L. Floyd Nock, trustee, will sell at public auction, on Saturday, July 11th, 3:30 p. m., at Pennyville, the tract of land, known as the George Major land, of which James C. Doughty died seized and possessed, situated near Pennyville and containing 19 acres, more or less. For particulars see posters.

Mr. George Summey, a distinguished graduate of the Southwestern University, Clarksville, Tenn., with the degrees of A. B. and Ph. D. and a student for a year at Leipzig University, Germany, has been engaged as principal of Drummondtown Academy for session 1903-1904. The school will open about September 10th.

Elder J. Manning Dunaway, former beloved pastor of Drummondtown Baptist Church, and for several weeks past the welcome guest of friends at Accomac C. H., left for his home at Marion, Va., on Thursday morning. His many friends throughout the Eastern Shore will be glad to learn that he returns to his charge greatly improved in health.

Miss Marianna Higgins, teacher in College at Fredericksburg, Miss Marie Duncan, student of Farmville Normal College, and Master George L. Doughty, of Richmond College, have returned to their homes at Accomac C. H. to spend the summer. Miss Emma Johnson arrived from South Carolina on Tuesday and is now at the home of her sister, Mrs. Thos. H. Melson.

The Peninsula Fair privileges, sold to the highest bidder on Tuesday, were bought by the following: Confectionery tents, L. W. Massey for \$170 and \$163, respectively; boarding tent and hot sausage stand, O. M. Chandler, \$80 and \$65, respectively; cigar stand, Fred Lewis, \$28.50; quarter stretch stand, R. P. Custie, \$37.50; peanut stand, W. C. Coleburn, \$27.50; photograph tent, P. M. Tighman, \$26; race card and bicycle stand, R. P. Coleburn, \$16; barber shop and watermelon stand, N. T. Evans, \$3.50 and \$8.50, respectively; horse pound, W. T. Wright, \$18; snow ball, Oscar Hargis, \$11; hay, A. J. Lilliston, \$48. Total—\$702.50.

NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

Chincoteague.

Capt. James Lilliston and wife left this week to spend several months in Norfolk.

The "sanctified people" have commenced the erection of a new church up the island.

Schooner William Knox arrived this week from Norfolk with a cargo of building material.

The Ladies Aid Society will hold an all day festival in the school house yard on the 4th of July.

Mr. Charles Daisey and Miss Clara Mason were married on the 13th inst., Rev. T. C. Davis officiating.

Messrs. John Lingo and Willard Twilley left this week, to accept positions on car line in Philadelphia.

Master Harry Jester returned last week from Dover Academy for his summer vacation at his home here.

Mr. D. J. Wheaton and family, of Philadelphia, will move down next week, to occupy their new dwelling this summer.

Miss Jennie Wheaton, pupil at the Farmville Normal School the past session, has returned home to spend the summer with her parents.

Round potatoes are being sent to market from this place. Our truckers, owing to the wet spring are late in making shipments this season.

Capt. Jos. V. Jester has sold his sloop yacht, Lizzie Jane, to Douglas Jester, and has purchased and is having rebuilt Schooner Lillie Russell, which was wrecked on Hog Island bar last winter.

Mrs. Saul M. Field, Sr., and Jr., of Baltimore, were guests of Dr. J. W. Field several days this week; Mrs. O. M. Jones and children are visiting relatives and friends at Snow Hill; the family of Capt. J. M. Feldman is with him at Assateague L. S. Station. Our former express agent, Mr. John Treadwell spent several days with us this week "and put the boys to guessing."

Mr. Joe T. Rowley, wife and children, and Mr. O. L. Disbrow left this week on a trip to Philadelphia, New York and Boston; Mrs. Henry Hilton and Mrs. William J. Jeffries are visiting friends in Norfolk; Mr. E. Dave Winder and Mr. John Lewis left this week for North Carolina; Mr. John Adams and wife, of Accomac C. H., visited relatives and friends here this week.

Arrivals at Atlantic Hotel this week: W. E. Wise, J. J. Kerns, L. D. Handy, W. J. Morris, T. K. Hill, E. H. Brown, E. D. VanOrder, Baltimore; T. E. Davis, Philadelphia; E. P. Miller, J. C. Saxe, Wilmington; J. W. Woodcock, Buffalo; A. S. Hallman, Miss Blanche Hallman, L. P. Gabel, Morristown, Pa.; R. L. Furbush, New York; L. P. Ayres and son, Ocean City; G. Walter Mapp, T. B. Quinby, E. P. Crawley, Sewell Mills, S. A. Miller, Accomac.

Onancock.

The barrel factories now in "full blast" at this place.

Mr. A. J. McMath and bride arrived home on the 13th inst.

Miss Lena Salter, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mrs. Baldwin.

Master Jeff Walter entertained on his birthday, June 18th, a large party of his young friends.

Mrs. M. White, of Baltimore, and Mrs. Bishop, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. F. White this week.

Mr. Olin L. McMath arrived home from Randolph-Macon College this week to spend his summer vacation, at his home near this place.

Mr. Luther B. Rice and Miss Mary Agnes Marsh, both of Reedville, were married in Baltimore on the 11th inst. The bride is a sister of Mr. L. Mada Marsh, of Onley.

Mr. T. T. Bloxom, of Locustville, has accepted the position of business manager of barrel factory of Mr. R. T. Parks, this place. Tommy will please the people and attract trade.

Mr. Frank H. Savage, wife and daughter, of Washington, D. C., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Savage; Mr. L. J. Savage is home from a business trip North; Miss Nellie Parks, of Pastorla, is the guest of Miss Lillian Savage, and Miss Mary Byrd, of Bloxom, of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mears.

Grangeville.

Miss Pryer, of Cheriton, is at this writing the guest of the Misses Crowder.

The farmers of this section are busy shipping round potatoes. Prices fair, yield poor.

In a game of base ball at the Fair grounds last Saturday, between Grangeville and Wachapreague nines, the latter won.

The 4th of July entertainment to come off at Fair Grounds will surpass, it is claimed, all others at that place in its attractiveness.

Master J. E. Brooks Mapp, student at Randolph-Macon College the past session, returned home a few days ago for his summer vacation.

Miss Monnie Ward, teacher of Blackstone Female Institute, arrived home on Friday of last week, to spend the summer with her parents.

Following our large sales of this season, our stock is fully supplied with new lots of popular styles of Ladies' Misses' and Children's shapes and ribbons, flowers, &c. Our visitors note the large variety we carry. We keep the prices right.

Corra W. Riley, Onancock.

Kenwood Club cigars are the best on the market.

A first-class barrel maker wanted. H. T. White, Bloomtown, Va.

Cape Charles.

Miss Grace Wilson is visiting Baltimore.

Mr. J. B. Jones made a flying trip to Baltimore this week.

Over 10,000 barrels of round potatoes were shipped from here on Wednesday.

Mr. Simpkins Savage, a student at the University of Virginia, is home for the summer.

Miss Johnson, of Parkley, Va., is the guest of the Misses Wilson, at the "Boundary."

Miss Boatwright, who has been visiting Miss Birdie Down, returned to her home in Buckingham county, on Tuesday.

Mr. A. G. Adams, of Pocomoke City, Md., has accepted a position as operator for the Postal Telegraph Company here.

Mr. Hunter Mann, of Petersburg, Va., a nephew of Judge W. H. Mann, the patron of the Mann Liquor Bill, has accepted a position with the N. Y. P. & N. R. R. Company, at this place.

Mr. Dudley R. Warren returned with his bride on Thursday, (18th), after an extensive bridal tour North. A reception was given in their honor by the groom's parents on Thursday evening.

The young men of this place gave a most enjoyable launch party on the launch "Travis" on Saturday night. Those in the party were Misses Kate Savage, Grace Wilson, Jessie Savage, Evelyn Nottingham, Edith Savage, Annie Wittingham, Margaret Wilson, Messrs. John Byrd, Tom Jones, Bonner Bussells, John Goffman, Jr., and Walter Kellam.

Onancock.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Newton Bagwell are visiting Mr. Prospect.

Mrs. Oscar Powell left Saturday for a visit to her home in Easton, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Mosby Perrow, of Lynchburg, are visiting Mr. G. G. Joyner.

Miss Jennie P. Leatherbury, of Norfolk, is visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Powell, of St. Mary's, Md., are at the home of Mr. R. L. Shield.

Miss Anna Mapp, of Mappesburg, is here on a visit to her friend, Miss Elizabeth Wise.

Miss Pansy Powell Wilkins and Mr. Robert Powell have returned from Fredericksburg College.

Mrs. Bertie K. Powell and Mrs. Margaret Powell returned from a visit to Baltimore this week.

Miss Cecile Powell entertained a few friends Wednesday night in honor of Miss Jennie Leatherbury.

Mr. Cecil Fletcher, of Norfolk, and Mrs. Edgar Fletcher, of Jenkins Bridge, are visiting the home of Mrs. T. E. Fletcher.

Miss Bessie Taylor, who has been teaching in Belmont Seminary, Bedford City, returned Wednesday from Halifax county, where she acted as bridesmaid at the marriage of her friend.

Parkley.

Miss Sallie Causey is visiting friends at Snow Hill.

Roy D. White left Tuesday for a trip to Florida.

Mr. Benjamin Crowson made a pleasure trip to Norfolk this week.

Children's day exercises will be held in the Baptist Church Sunday night, 21st.

Frank White, of Cape Charles, spent a few days with his mother here this week.

Mr. J. Harry Row has returned from a pleasure trip of several weeks to the Bahama Islands.

The Fourth of July will be celebrated here by an all day fair and festival, and fireworks at night.

Miss Margaret Nottingham and Mr. Drummond Scott, of Eastville, were the guests of Miss Nellie C. Scott, last Sunday.

Miss Virginia Jones, who has been spending the winter in Vineland, N. J., returned home last week accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Amy R. Lane.

Among the arrivals home from school this week are: Misses Emma Causey, Hilda Ewell and Bessie Phillips from Front Royal; Miss Nora White and Sallie Crowson, Farmville; and Jno. T. White, Jr., Washington and Lee University.

Atlantic.

Marriage bells will soon be ringing in this section, so Madam Rumor has it.

Rev. Wm. Savage, of West Virginia, filled the pulpit of Rev. Walter Rhodes on Sunday last.

Miss Beulah Thompson and brother, of Pocomoke, spent a few days this week with friends in this vicinity.

Miss Lizzie Watson, of Horntown, who has been visiting her sister at this place, returned home Sunday; Miss Bessie Conquest is the guest of Miss Ella Johnson, New Church, this week; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnson and son, of Chincoteague, are visiting for a few days relatives here.

Stockholders' Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders of Wachapreague Bridge Co. will be held at the office of the undersigned on Saturday, July 11th, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m.

N. B. Wescott, Secretary.

Kenwood Club cigars are all solid Havana filler. Try them.

Kenwood Club cigars.

F. A. Davis & Sons, sole owners.

Bi-County Convention of the W. C. T. U.

The Third Quarterly Bi-County Convention of the W. C. T. U. was held at Wachapreague, June 2nd and 3rd, Mrs. R. E. Crowder, presiding. The afternoon was largely taken up with news from the field, and while some departments were not reported, the general indications of the work show a strengthening of temperance principles in many directions.

At night the exercises were unusually interesting. The L. T. Legion of Wachapreague contributed many songs and recitations, reflecting credit on themselves and their leader. An address of welcome followed by Miss Mary Finney, responded to by Mrs. Townsend, of Cape Charles. A strong temperance address was made by Rev. W. R. Crowder, of the Keller Circuit.

Great interest centered around the Temperance Rally to be held in August on Turlington's Camp Ground. Rev. Sam Jones and Miss Belle Kearney, of Mississippi, have been engaged to speak on that occasion. It promises to be a memorable event in the annals of temperance on the Eastern Shore, and many details were discussed and planned.

A reading by Mrs. Clara Hyslop and a recitation by Miss Edna Sterling, of Cape Charles, added to the interest of the business meeting Wednesday morning. The secretary's report showed 331 active and 24 honorary members. The treasurer reported receipts for the quarter \$56.64, expenditures \$32.16. Literature is extensively circulated, and the flower mission work is doing untold good, fifty-four families having been substantially helped in addition to the loving sympathy and cheer which has been bestowed where it was needed, and which cannot be measured.

The Convention accepted an invitation to meet at Onley, Sept. 3rd. Resolutions were adopted as follows: Whereas our Heavenly Father has again permitted us to assemble in quarterly Convention, we take this opportunity to render thanks to Him for His continued blessings upon our work and workers; therefore be it resolved:

First—That our grateful thanks be tendered to Bro. Crowder for his helpful, straight-forward and inspiring address, pointing out so clearly the paths of righteousness and denouncing the great evil of intemperance.

Second—That we express our appreciation of the loving words of welcome so beautifully rendered by one of your "Y" girls. Also that we recognize the thoughtful, earnest response given by Mrs. Townsend, our women are studying the temperance question in all of its phases.

Third—That we do give genuine thanks to the Wachapreague Legion and its leader for its splendid entertainment, showing growth and great development in this department of work; and we urge upon our local workers to overcome the district importance of taking up this department.

Fourth—That cordial thanks be offered the pastor of this church, Rev. J. A. Winn, and the members of the local Union for courtesies and delightful hospitality given this visiting body.

Fifth—That we as a body of Christian workers do all in our power for the success of our proposed Temperance Rally to be held on Turlington's Camp Ground during August.

Sixth—That we unite our thanks and do heartily rejoice over the effect of the Mann bill, and that we use our personal efforts to urge the enforcement of the law.

Seventh—That we offer our sincere congratulations to the town council and citizens of Wachapreague for abolishing the saloon from their midst, the work having been done before the Mann bill went into effect. Also, we desire to remember and advertise in all the ways we can the grand temperance hotel reared so majestically in this City by the Sea, owned and controlled by one of our honorary members, Mr. A. H. G. Mears.

Committee on Resolutions—Mrs. J. H. Hebard, Mrs. Wm. T. Ashby, Secretary.

Deaths.

Capt. George W. Crockett died Monday at the Maryland University Hospital, Baltimore, of diabetes, after having been a patient at the institution but a few days. The deceased was a native of this county, spent the most of his life here and is remembered as one of its most upright and respected citizens. His many friends learn with sincere sorrow of his death. He was 58 years. His wife, one daughter, an aged father, Capt. Asa J. Crockett and several brothers survive him.

His remains arrived by steamer at Harborton on Wednesday morning and were interred in the family burying ground near that place.

Mr. William H. Bull, a worthy and highly respected citizen of upper Accomac, died Monday, at his home at Nelsonia, of paralysis, aged 64 years. Funeral services, conducted by Rev. E. Y. Pool, were held over his remains on Wednesday. Interment in family burying ground, near Mappesville. His wife and six sons, William F., John, Marvin, Frank, Roy and Asa Bull, survive him.

Unclaimed Mail.

List of letters remaining unclaimed in the postoffice at Accomac, Va., June 15th, 1903:

Mrs. Anna Bagwell, Miss Susie Carmine, Mrs. Harriet Dennis, Mrs. Betsy Dixon, Mrs. Thomas Scott, Mrs. Sadie West, Mr. Thomas Batts, Mr. David Baly, A. Chessier, Principal of Schools.

Henry C. White, P. M.

For mid-summer millinery—latest styles and lowest prices, call on

Mrs. Gresham, Marsh Market, Va.

Kenwood Club cigars.

F. A. Davis & Sons, sole owners.

Fourth of July Entertainments.

For many years Wachapreague has been a popular resort for the people of Accomac on the 4th of July. This popularity has increased from year to year.

Great efforts are being made to make this 4th more pleasant and profitable than preceding ones for the people who may visit our town on that day.

The following is in part what the program will consist of:

Base ball game at 10 a. m. Dinner between the hours of 12 and 1.

The many launches of the place will be beautifully decorated and will speed two or three times by the wharf at 2:30 p. m. This is positively not a boat race, but simply an exhibition of the launches.

The Mechanics of Wachapreague Council and visiting councils will form a parade and march to the Methodist Church where free lectures will be delivered to the public by prominent speakers of the Shore and of Norfolk.

Supper from 5 to 6 o'clock. Music and fire-works at night.

Also moon-light excursions on the beautiful Wachapreague river. You cannot afford to miss any part of the above program.

Committee.

There will be an all day picnic at the Harborton M. E. Church, South, grove on Saturday, July 4th, 1903, under the auspices of Harborton Council, No. 108, Junior Order of United American Mechanics and Harborton M. E. Church, South. All the members of the Jr. O. U. A. M. of the county are cordially invited to meet with Harborton Council at their hall at 10 a. m. sharp and to take part in the parade and exercises at the flag-raising at Harborton public school building.

There will be a public address and other appropriate exercises, after which dinner will be served, followed in the afternoon by other attractive features. Ice cream, soft drinks, confectioneries and fruits will be on sale during the day. Supper will also be served on the grounds, and at night there will be a beautiful display of fireworks. Come everybody and have a good time and celebrate the "Glorious Fourth" in true, patriotic style.

Joint Committee.

There will be an all day festival at Keller fair grounds on the 4th of July, consisting of speeches in the morning, a big dinner, a game of base ball in the afternoon, between Accomac and Northampton teams, supper and a drama at night, followed by fire works.

Among the many orators of the day, we expect to have Messrs. John Raw, L. James Turlington and G. Walter Mapp. Another important feature will be the reading of the declaration of independence by a pretty girl of the county. Admission free.

A fair will be held at Sanford Church, July 4th, for the benefit of the church. We will have appropriate speaking for the occasion by S. J. Turlington and others. Oysters, clams, fish and all the delicacies of the season will be served. All come.

Committee.

Notice to Office-holders.

All bonded County and District officers, whose terms were extended by section 11 of the schedule ordinance by the late Constitutional Convention, are required by section 17 of said schedule, to enter into new bond in the same penalty, with security, and conditioned for a faithful performance of duty etc.

Meeting of Stockholders.

Notice is hereby given that a general meeting of the stockholders of Edge Hill Cemetery Company will be held at Accomac Court House, Tuesday, July 7th, 1903, at 8 o'clock p. m. James H. Fletcher, Jr., Lee B. Kellam, Robt. H. Oldham, A. J. Lilliston, T. H. Melson, Wm. E. Lewis, Jno. S. Parsons, Board of Directors.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

FOR SALE—By private contract ninety acre (90 a.) farm situated in Bradford's Neck, this county. Said farm extends from the wharf out to the Creek, is well located and productive. Can be bought for a fair price. Apply to

Mrs. Mary S. Fleming, Mappesburg, Va. or to G. Walter Mapp, her Attorney, Accomac, Va.

NOTICE—Come to my house about four weeks ago a large roan cow, with the right ear split and the left ear unsplit. She is very mischievous. Owner will please come for her and pay damages.

T. J. Killmon, Keller, Va.

FOR SALE—Bicycle and news stand privilege at Tasley Fair. Address R. P. Coleburn, Accomac, Va.

FOR RENT—For year 1904 the farm of Miss Sue Langdale, near Locustville, now occupied by J. R. Beasley. Apply to

Bén T. Gunter.

FOR SALE—The valuable lot in Drummondtown, of which the late Judge Gillet died seized and possessed, containing three and a half acres, more or less, situated in the heart of said town and upon which is a large 2 story dwelling and attachments, ice house, and all necessary outbuildings. Terms reasonable. For further information, see or address.

John J. Blackstone or L. Floyd Nock, Accomac C. H., Va.

NOTICE—I offer for sale at private contract the farm known as the "Topping land" located about 24 miles from Finney and Evans Wharf respectively, containing 93 57 100 acres. Buildings in good repair, farm productive with abundant resources. For further particulars apply to

Spencer E. Rogers, Finney, Va.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Farm situated on county road one mile from Jenkins Bridge, containing by actual survey 128 10-100 acres, which 35 70-100 acres are woodland, improved by two story building, 4 rooms, with back building one and a half story high, barn, stables and other outbuildings in good condition. The land is of good quality, adapted to all crops and with plenty of woods manure. Will sell cheap and on easy terms. Address

W. L. Nock, Temperanceville, Va.

FOR SALE—A first class cow fresh to the pail, also 20 cords of seasoned pine wood in good shape.

W. E. Mapp, Onley, Va.

CRAB MEAT—Can furnish crab meat on short notice to private families, hotels, fairs, &c. Prices on application.

Sparrows Point Packing Co., Belinda, Va.

NOTICE—I have for sale a fine cow and calf.